## Wayne Western - Road Upgrade

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Subject: Road Upgrade CC: Paul Baker

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John,

Div. of Oil, Gas & Mining

this email is to confirm telephone conversations on September 26, 2011 between the yourself and Paul Baker and Wayne Western.

On September 26, 2011, John Wagner call the Division about road work that was to be done my Rare Earths Limited LLC. The main concern was the Rare Earths would be upgrading and existing road that was on part of Materion's property as well as BLM land. Rare Earths does have an exploration permit and appears to have permission from the BLM to upgrade the road (BLM right-of-way).

The Division will not hold Materion liable for the road work done by Rare Earths. That company is bonded and will be required to reclaim any new disturbances.

The Division will try to conduct a courtesy inspection of the Topaz mine and exploration project in October.

John, if you have any additional questions or concerns please contact either Paul Baker or myself.

Wayne